

# BOSTON COMMANDERY, NO. 2, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ORGANIZATION 1951-1952

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\*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh 1921-22  
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E. Sir Frank Brown Ellis 1944-46  
E. Sir Wallace E. Crowley 1946-47  
E. Sir Alfred Colcord Blake 1947-49  
E. Sir Herman C. McStay 1949-51  
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# ONE HUNDRED FIFTY CONTINUOUS YEARS OF TEMPLARY

# Boston Commandery



# Knights Templars

ORGANIZED 1802

CHARTERED 1806

ANNUAL INSPECTION WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1952



# BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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## STATED CONCLAVE

### OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1952 — 6:00 P.M.

To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

## THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting following petitions

### FOR THE ORDERS

- \*WILLIAM A. WALKER, E. Sandwich, Sales Manager  
Recommended by S. K. Harold G. Morrison and S. K. Harold A. Budreau
- \*WILLIAM L. BARNES, 404 Bedford St., Lexington, Doctor  
Recommended by S. K. Frank W. Benvie and S. K. E. Stanley Fudge
- \*RICHARD K. GRIFFIN, Washington St., Topsfield, Broker  
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Recommended by S. K. A. Randall Soderberg and Em. Sir Wm. M. Heiligmann
- CHANDLER W. SMART, 27 Kensington Road, Arlington, Salesman  
Recommended by S. K. Wyman W. Smart and S. K. Charles F. Wyman
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Recommended by S. K. George A. Spargo and Em. Sir Harold A. Budreau
- \*WILLIAM VOORNEWELD, JR., #1 Starbuck Court, Nantucket, Florist  
Recommended by S. K. William T. Cowing and S. K. Ralph U. Libby
- \*Subject to release of jurisdiction

### WORK

## The Illustrious Order of Red Cross and Order of Malta

(Entitled)

NATHANIEL P. FINCH	ANTON E. HOMSEY
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HORATIO FINCH	RALPH W. SANBORN
WILLIAM A. HOLLIDAY	JOHN T. WATSON

and those candidates, elected, present and entitled to receive the degrees at this meeting.

### SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$1.75. Guests \$2.50. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, January 14, 1952.

### ENTERTAINMENT

By Order of  
Attest: *W. M. Heiligmann* Commander

HAROLD A. BUDREAU  
Recorder  
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### REHEARSAL FOR RED CROSS DEGREE TEAM

Monday, January 14, 1952—Dinner, Masonic Temple at 5:45 P.M.

## GREETINGS FROM THE COMMANDER

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## HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

The Christmas Party was a great success. Everyone had a wonderful time.

Many thanks to the Sir Knights who took an active part in it, especially the two Sir Knights from St. Omer Commandery, Clyde Carter and Bert Chantler, who were ever so helpful.

There are a number of Sir Knights from sister commanderies who enjoy being of assistance to Boston Commandery when there is anything they can do. We cannot ask them to bring in candidates; that is our job and a very important one.

Remember it's our 150th anniversary. March will soon be here and it's got to be a success. Will you show *your* interest and give your support by handing in a signed application.

### CHRISTMAS OFFERING

I wish to thank the 333 Sir Knights who so generously contributed to our Christmas Cheer Fund. You will be glad to know that it helped to bring happiness to some of our shut-in Sir Knights, widows and destitute families.

Your Commander has personally visited a number of these and has received some very nice thank you notes.

## 1802 OUR SESQUICENTENNIAL 1952

Prepare yourself for our big anniversary celebration. We shall observe our ONE HUNDRED FIFTY continuous years of Templary with the following outstanding events:

SUNDAY, MARCH 9, 1952 — Devotional Services — Prominent Speaker. (Time, place and speaker to be announced later).

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1952 — It was on March 12, 1802, that our Commandery was organized. To commemorate this eventful date, the Order of the Red Cross will be presented to our anniversary class in full form with costumes and make-up from the stage in Gothic Hall before a large and distinguished group of visitors.

This is the time to start your candidate — He will never forget this memorable occasion.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1952 — Ladies Night, Banquet and Theatre Party in the new John Hancock Building.

Your Anniversary Committee has obtained from our safe deposit vault the original records of March 12, 1802, wherein ten Sir Knights formed themselves into a regular encampment for the purpose of conferring the Orders. It is of interest to know that the record of this first meeting and all subsequent meetings have been carefully preserved and are in excellent condition.

Of historical interest is the meeting of March 28, 1802, where it was voted that Sir Samuel Billings apply to Sir Robert Newman to attend and act as sentinel. Robert Newman accepted and was voted Sentinel and therefore in fact became the first Sentinel of Boston Commandery. Robert Newman hung the lanterns from the belfry of the Old North Church, which was the signal for the famous ride of Paul Revere.



# SIR KNIGHTS OF WINTHROP

## BOSTON COMMANDERY SALUTES YOU!

Boston Commandery No. 2, organized in 1802 and chartered in 1806, extends knightly greetings to former officers and Sir Knights of Winthrop Commandery No. 53 organized in 1924.

The wise consolidation of these two splendid Templar groups has undoubted value for both. Each brings to the other fresh enthusiasm, new viewpoints, and strength. But the complete fruition and full value of this splendid united front can be realized only as our new allies move into the front line trenches of active participation in our work and attendance at our meetings — and only as our earlier Sir Knights of Boston Commandery hold out the hand of fellowship and eager welcome to these veteran Christian warriors on their re-enlistment under the same flag, but with a new place in line.

It is particularly fitting that this progressive merger is consummated during the year that we celebrate our 150th anniversary.

Boston Commandery feels honored to welcome into her ranks, the following splendid list of Eminent Sir Knights.

S. FRANKLIN BELL, AMOS W. CROOKS, T. JAMES FERGUSON, FRANCIS E. HOMER, HENRY E. KEOUGH, EDMUND KITSON, HANS C. KLEEMAN, CLARENCE N. MARSDEN, JOHN R. VAUGHN, FRED H. WILCKE, — and SIR KNIGHTS:

ALFRED ALLEN  
CHESTER E. AMES  
HUBERT E. AMES  
ROBERT H. ANTHONY  
LEONARD C. ATKINSON  
RALPH W. BAKER  
FRED W. BARKLEY  
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*Turn Back the Pages — "Ye Olden Days" — See Other Side*



March 12  
1802

## OUR SESQUICENTENNIAL

March 12  
1952

Historical extracts from records of the early meetings held in Boston Commandery, 150 years ago.

*March 12, 1802.* Boston Commandery Organized and Instituted by *Sir Henry Fowle and Nine other Knight Templars.*

*March 28, 1802.* "Committee was appointed to procure a hall." They reported: "They had procured a hall near the market and had agreed to pay \$16.00 per annum providing it met with the approbation of the members." (Report unanimously accepted.)

*April 2, 1802.* Voted "That every candidate who received the degree of Knighthood, shall pay ten dollars therefor." The meetings were closed as follows: "In due form until the Wednesday next after the full of the moon."

*May 14, 1802.* Voted "That the price of a sword, belt and apron be five dollars."

*December 28, 1803.* Voted "That the encampment will be held in Masons Hall at the Green Dragon Tavern in the future."

*March 28, 1804.* "The petition of Companion Robert Lash, Jr., to receive the Orders of Knighthood was read and accepted." Robert Lash became the second Commander of Boston Commandery in 1824.

There were three classifications for Members.—City, Country and Seafaring. Seafaring members were exempt from punctual attendance. A country member was one who resided more than two miles from center of Boston, and was also exempt from punctual attendance. Voted.—"Every visitor shall pay for each and every visit after the first, the sum of fifty cents."

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Congratulations to Sir Knight Lawson W. Oaks, newly elected Potentate of Aleppo Temple. Em. Sir Herman C. McStay was elected at the same time to the office of High Priest and Prophet and Sir Knight Harvey B. Leggee for the 8th time to the office of Recorder. Before being elected, Recorder Harvey served for 23 years as Assistant Recorder.

Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Sir Knight Lawson W. Oaks, Sir Knight Harvey B. Leggee and Sir Knight Andrew S. Seiler, a distinguished group from Boston Commandery, were chosen to represent "Aleppo" at the National Shrine Convention in Miami, Florida, in June. This is the 14th time the Judge and Harvey have served in this capacity.

### HONOR ROLL

Applications are beginning to roll in and the lucky applicants with their sponsors are going to be as thrilled as I was when they see the new 1952 Boston Commandery Jewel. Due to the lack of space the names of Boston Commandery Builders has been omitted. They will appear in our March notice.

### SICKNESS

Sir Knight Sam Bowen is looking forward to attending a meeting of Boston Commandery in the near future. What courage for a Sir Knight who has just lost both legs.

Sir Knight Ernest Rogers is recovering from a heart attack and is sitting up a little while each day. He looks fine.

Sir Knight Ellis Alsen is confined to his bed in the hospital. We hope before this notice is in the mail he will be sufficiently recovered to have visitors.



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# Knights Templars

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ANNUAL INSPECTION WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1952



# BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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## STATED CONCLAVE

### OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1952 — 3:00 P.M.**  
 To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
 will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting following petitions

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**ACTION ON CONSOLIDATION SEE NEXT PAGE**

#### WORK

### The Order of the Temple

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#### SEILER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$1.75. Guests \$2.50. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, February 18, 1952.

#### ENTERTAINMENT

R. E. SIR CHARLES F. FAIRBANKS, 2ND  
 Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights  
 Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island  
 will honor us with his presence  
 CEREMONY OF OFFICIAL WELCOME TO OUR SIR KNIGHTS  
 FROM Winthrop Commandery

## ACTION ON CONSOLIDATION

*Sir Knights of Boston Commandery:*

At our stated conclave on December 19, 1951, it was voted that your Commandery extend an official invitation to Winthrop Commandery No. 53, to consolidate with Boston Commandery, and that your Recorder write a letter to Winthrop Commandery, informing them of action taken at our meeting and outlining the benefits that would accrue from such a merger. These instructions were carried out, and I am pleased to report that Winthrop Commandery voted in favor of this proposal at their meeting on Thursday, January 17, 1952, and it was ratified officially at their Stated Conclave, Tuesday, February 5, 1952.

Notice is hereby given that at our Stated Conclave Wednesday, February 20, 1952, immediately after opening the following propositions will be in order to be acted upon:

1. Whether Boston Commandery No. 2 and Winthrop Commandery No. 53 shall be consolidated under Section 169 and Section 170 of the Statutes of the Grand Encampment.
2. Whether the consolidation shall be under the charter of Boston Commandery No. 2 or the charter of Winthrop Commandery No. 53.
3. Whether the present officers of Boston Commandery No. 2 or the present officers of the Winthrop Commandery No. 53 shall be retained as officers of the consolidated Commandery, or whether new offices shall be elected by a proper dispensation.
4. Whether in the event of such consolidation the Eminent Commander, Generalissimo, and Captain General of Boston Commandery No. 2 shall be authorized to act in behalf of Boston Commandery with full powers.

WILLIAM M. HEILIGMANN,  
*Commander.*

The sections 169 and 170 of the Statutes of the Grand Commandery above referred to are as follows:

"Section 169. Two or more Commanderies having concurrent jurisdiction or stationed in adjoining jurisdictions may be consolidated into one Commandery provided that the proposition for such consolidation shall be presented at a States Conclave of each Commandery which proposition shall be acted upon at a subsequent Stated Conclave. Notice thereof shall be mailed to all Members at least ten days prior to such Conclave. Such consolidation cannot be effected if Nine or more Members of either Commandery vote against the proposition.

"Two or more Commanderies having thus decided to consolidate may unite under the Charter of one of said Commanderies, retaining the Officers thereof, or they may elect new Officers by a proper Dispensation. The Charter surrendered must be deposited with the Grand Recorder.

"Section 170. The title to all the property and effects of the consolidating Commanderies shall upon consolidation vest in the new Commandery, and the new Commandery shall be liable for all indebtedness of the several Commanderies consolidating.

"All Members of the Commanderies consolidating shall, immediately upon consolidation, become Members of the new Commandery."

#### SPECIAL 150th ANNIVERSARY CLASS

Your Red Cross degree team is hard at work getting ready for the Dramatic presentation of the "ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF THE RED CROSS." All petitions received by March 7th will be eligible. Get that Chapter friend to present his application *now*, and be included in our Anniversary Class. *The date—Wednesday, March 12, 1952.* We want 50 or more for this class.

#### ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM

Sir Knight Harvey B. Leggee, assisted by Sir Knight Edward H. Casey, has been authorized by your committee to solicit contributions for our SOUVENIR PROGRAM. Any consideration given these Sir Knights will be greatly appreciated. A telephone has been temporarily installed in our Armory for their use. The telephone number is HANcock 6-1660. *Deadline for advertising copy, February 25, 1952.*

By Order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU

*Recorder*

Room 601, 51 Boylston St.

Boston, Mass.

Res. Tel. OCean 3-2336

Boston, Feb. 9, 1952, A.O., 833

REHEARSAL FOR OFFICERS, GUARDS AND RED CROSS DEGREE TEAM

Monday, February 18, 1952 — Dinner at Masonic Temple at 5:45 P.M.

*W. M. Heiligmann*  
*Commander*

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### OLD SOUTH CHURCH

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March 9, 1952 4:00 P.M.



**PROGRAM FOR OUR ANNIVERSARY WEEK**

**SUNDAY, MARCH 9, 1952**

*Devotional Services*

**Old South Church**

**4:00 P.M.**

Copley Square

Boston, Massachusetts

*Guest Speaker*

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**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1952**

*Special Anniversary Conclave*

**Masonic Temple, Boston**

5:00 P.M. — Meeting opens in Gothic Hall

5:30 P.M.

to

Big Buffet Dinner — Free to Members

7:15 P.M.

7:30 P.M. — Reception of Distinguished Guests

8:00 P.M. — Historical Highlights and Sidelights

8:30 P.M. — Remarks by Distinguished Guests

9:00 P.M. — Order of the Red Cross in Full Form

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**FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 14, 1952**

*Ladies Night and Theater Party*

**John Hancock Building**

6:15 P.M. — Dinner, Dorothy Quincy Suite

7:30 P.M. — Selections by Boston University Orchestra

8:00 P.M. — Introduction of Distinguished Guests

8:30 P.M. — "The Gondoliers"

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**SPECIAL NOTICES**

We are deeply grateful to our Most Worshipful Grand Master, Thomas Sherrard Roy, Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts, who has obligingly consented to be our Guest Speaker at our Devotional Services. Our scheduled speaker Rev. Ewald Mand, has been suddenly hospitalized with a serious illness.

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Although our list of Sponsors for insertion in Souvenir Program closed February 29, 1952; arrangements will be made to acknowledge subsequent sponsors in future Commandery notices.

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**CHANGE OF INSPECTION DATE**

Our Inspection has been changed to May 21, 1952. This change is necessary because of the heavy program arranged during the month of March, and the great number of applicants to receive their orders during March and April. Make special note of the date Sir Knights, May 21, 1952.

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The following Sir Knights have received their Orders to date in our Anniversary year:

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	JOHN T. WATSON	

With one Knight of Malta, Pierre G. Northrup in waiting, this makes a total of 82 *Petitions*. With half of our Anniversary Year gone, we have received *over* half of our quota, of 150, a petition for each year of our Institution. Sir Knights GET YOUR PETITION AND GET YOUR ANNIVERSARY MEDAL. Bring it with you to our Anniversary meeting.

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# ONE HUNDRED FIFTY CONTINUOUS YEARS OF TEMPLARY

# Boston Commandery



# Knights Templars

ORGANIZED 1802  
CHARTERED 1806

ANNUAL INSPECTION WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1952



A PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF OUR ORGANIZATION MEETING  
MARCH 12, 1802.

The records of this meeting and all subsequent meetings are carefully preserved in our Archives for future generations.

On Friday evening March 12<sup>th</sup> 1802. The following  
knights of the Red Cross met at Mason's Hall  
in Boston & agreed to form themselves into a re-  
gular encampment. W. F.

S<sup>r</sup> Henry Fowle  
Samuel Billings  
Elisha Sigourney  
Benjamin Smith  
James Harrison  
Andrew Sigourney  
Herchiah Hudson  
Henry Furbill  
Joseph Tucker  
William Bentley

Voted, that Andrew Sigourney be a Secretary until  
there shall be a regular choice of Officers.  
Voted, that S<sup>r</sup> Elisha Sigourney be a Committee to pro-  
cure Swords for the Encampment.  
Voted, that S<sup>r</sup> Henry Fowle be a Committee to procure  
the Ranks & Magnificence of the Officers.  
Voted that S<sup>r</sup> William Bentley be a Committee to  
procure Two Dozen Aprons.  
Voted, that this meeting be adjourned to next Friday  
evening then to meet at this place at 6 o'clock ...

At a Meeting of the above knights, at Mason's Hall  
on Friday evening March 12<sup>th</sup> 1802 ..

Voted, that we now proceed to the choice of Officers  
and the following members were elected to the Office  
affixed to their respective names. W. F.

S <sup>r</sup> Herch Hudson	S <sup>r</sup> Henry Fowle
Elisha Sigourney	James Harrison
Andrew Sigourney	Benj. Smith
Joseph Tucker	Sam <sup>r</sup> Billings
William Bentley	Henry Furbill

Voted, that S<sup>r</sup> Henry Fowle & William Bentley be a Commit-  
tee to procure the Hall near the Market for the use of the Encamp-  
ment & if it can be done at a reasonable price to engage the same.  
S<sup>r</sup> Elisha Sigourney reported that he had procured Twenty  
Swords & Twenty Three black Swords & belts for the use of  
the members of the Encampment, which report was accepted.  
Voted, that the Encampment be adjourned to Friday evening  
the 25<sup>th</sup> Inst. then to meet at this place at 6 o'clock.

# Boston Commandery Knights Templars

SESQUICENTENNIAL CONCLAVE  
OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

COMMEMORATING  
THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH YEAR  
OF OUR INSTITUTION

will be held in GOTHIC HALL, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1952 — 5:00 P.M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars

THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE  
will be transacted immediately after opening — balloting see insert

## WORK

The Illustrious Order of Red Cross and Order of Malta  
(Entitled)

WILLIAM L. BARNES  
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HUGH MACDONALD  
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GEORGE N. STODDART  
KWOCK TIM YEE  
JOHN ZAFFERES

and those candidates elected and present to receive the orders at this meeting

SEILER BUFFET DINNER 5:30 P.M. to 7:15 P.M.

NO CHARGE TO MEMBERS — Guests \$1.50

Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed)  
by Monday, March 10, 1952

Important — Please Return Your Card

The ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF THE RED CROSS will be conferred  
after dinner, on the stage in Gothic Hall, in FULL FORM WITH COS-  
TUME AND WITH FULL DRAMATIC EFFECTS. SEE INSERT  
FOR COMPLETE PROGRAM.

By Order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU  
Recorder

Room 601, 51 Boylston St.  
Boston, Mass.

Res. Tel. OCEan 3-2336  
Boston, Mar. 4, 1952, A.O., 833

*W. M. A. Higgins*  
Commander

2141 Massachusetts Ave.  
North Cambridge, Mass.  
Tel. KEnmore 6-1689

Dress Rehearsal — Order of Red Cross, Monday, March 10, 1952  
Buffet Dinner 5:45 P.M.

## STATED CONCLAVE

OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in the Armory, 601 Masonic Temple

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1952 — 5:00 P.M.

To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business



*A Member of  
Boston Commandery  
needs no further introduction  
Wherever Masonry  
is Known*

1802



1952



## ANNOUNCEMENT OF EVENTS

COMMEMORATING THE

One Hundred Fiftieth  
Anniversary

OF

Boston Commandery  
Knights Templar

Instituted March 12, 1802



## Devotional Services

Sunday, March 9, 1952

OLD SOUTH CHURCH

4:00 P.M.

COPLEY SQUARE

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

*Guest Speaker*

REVEREND EWALD MAND

ALICE FARNSWORTH, *Soloist*

ALEPPO TEMPLE CHANTERS

MEISTERSINGERS

Reverend Ewald Mand is a well known Estonian clergyman and lecturer. He studied in America and returned to his native country. During the Russian occupation of his country he was avoiding arrests, living underground, imprisoned. He finally escaped to Sweden in a small sailing boat, and eventually found passage to the United States and freedom. He is now minister of the First Baptist Church, Rockport, Massachusetts. His experiences "Of Life Behind The Iron Curtain" will provide a most interesting and enlightening portrayal of an organization which is militantly and unalterably opposed to those ideals and traditions for which our Masonic order stands.

Admission to church is by ticket ONLY. Your application blank is enclosed.

As the capacity of the church is limited to approximately 1100 people, admission is by ticket only. Fill in the enclosed application blank for the number of tickets you may desire for yourself and family, enclosing a self-addressed stamped envelope. Please do not order MORE tickets than you can actually use. Ticket orders will be accepted up to the capacity of the church and all requests must be mailed in not later than March 3.

## Special Anniversary Conclave

Wednesday, March 12, 1952

MASONIC TEMPLE

6:00 P.M. — Big Buffet Dinner. Free to members.

7:30 P.M. — Reception of Distinguished Guests.  
Gothic Hall.

8:00 P.M. — Historical Highlights and Sidelights.

8:30 P.M. — Remarks by Distinguished Guests.

9:00 P.M. — Order of the Red Cross in Full Form.

March 12, 1802 is the actual date our Commandery was instituted.

One hundred and fifty years, a century and a half of time, has passed since that day in eighteen hundred and two, when an earnest group of ten Sir Knights, inspired by the principles of Masonic teachings, organized themselves into a permanent body for the purpose of seeking further light in a higher Order of Masonry.

It is doubtful if any of them realized the full extent of the step which they were about to take or the magnificent organization that was to result from their labors. They were actuated entirely by their love of Freemasonry, and a desire to be of greater service to the craft. Thus an encampment of Knights of the Red Cross was formed which today is known as Boston Commandery of Knights Templar.

It has so borne itself through all the years of its being as to acquire a reputation that is now second to none and an appreciable part of its assets. We are the owners of Boston Commandery's proud history. To us of right belongs its ancient glory and its present prestige — on us depends its future fame and glory. We are called upon to translate into thought and action the message of the century and a half — we are empowered to transmit that message to the generations that shall follow. Let us then see to it Sir Knights, that we may prove worthy of the trust reposed!

Your anniversary committee respectfully suggests that this is one conclave in your Templar life that you should make every possible effort to attend.

## Ladies' Night and Theatre Party

Friday evening, March 14, 1952

JOHN HANCOCK BUILDING

6:15 P.M. — Dinner, Dorothy Quincy Suite

7:30 P.M. — Selections by B. U. Orchestra

8:00 P.M. — Introduction of Distinguished Guests

8:30 P.M. — "The Gondoliers"

Your Anniversary Committee is happy to announce that the Boston University Light Opera Players will present "THE GONDOLIERS," an operetta by Gilbert and Sullivan, with a cast of fifty people, full of comedy, singing, dancing and striking costumes.

Here's your opportunity for an evening of relaxing entertainment.

This year we shall have a heavier demand for tickets than ever, due first to the fact that Winthrop Commandery has consolidated with us and second that our Commandery has grown in membership. We are therefore *limiting* each member to two (2) tickets. Requests for MORE than two tickets will be filled so far as possible. *Please* do not order more tickets than you can actually use as you may deprive some other Sir Knight and Lady of SPENDING an enjoyable evening.

DRESS OPTIONAL . . . ALL SEATS RESERVED

Dinner tickets are \$5.00 per person including tax. Those attending the banquet will receive choice reserved seats to our Sesquicentennial theatre party. The Dorothy Quincy Suite will seat approximately 450 persons, which means that only 225 Sir Knights with their ladies can be accommodated. Tickets will therefore be issued in the order of their receipt up to the capacity of the banquet hall. Tables will be reserved for Sir Knights attending STAG.

Your application blank for the dinner and theatre party is enclosed. All requests must be in by March 3.



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# Boston Commandery, K. T.

Commemorating its

## 150th ANNIVERSARY

Presents

### The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

in Full Form

with Dramatic Effects

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1952

GOthic HALL, MASONIC BUILDING

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, from a legendary point of view, antedates all orders of Masonic Knighthood, for tradition informs us that the Order was conferred by King Darius of Persia several centuries before the birth of Christ. (This is purely legend so far as it concerns the Masonic Order.)

The Order of the Red Cross was apparently introduced in America by Benjamin Hurd, Jr., sometime prior to 1790. He was a prominent Mason of the time and also a merchant who made frequent trips across the ocean to the British Isles. Whether he secured the degree in Scotland, Ireland or England is not known.

The most complete record of the Red Cross during the Eighteenth Century in the United States is found in the records of St. Andrews Royal Arch Chapter and Boston Commandery of Knights Templar. The Order or Degree, as it was then called, was controlled first by Benjamin Hurd, Jr. (Hurd's Order of the Red Cross Knights) and later transferred to the control of Boston Commandery of Knights Templar. From there it was taken into the Grand Encampment of the United States, where it has remained one of the appendant Orders controlled by that body since its organization in 1816.

## The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

Under the Direction of Em. Sir Herman C. McStay, P. C.

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE

#### PART ONE

*Barabus .. Jewish Warder .. Charles H. Gray*

#### JEWISH COUNCILORS

*Hezekiah .. GORDON H. BURK*  
*Aaron .. CARLOS H. COTTON*  
*Zechariah .. WILLIAM T. COWING*  
*Asaph .. GEORGE A. CUSHMAN*  
*Jozadak .. ETHELBERT J. GREER*  
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*Ezra .. BERNARD H. MARSHALL*  
*Mordecai .. COURTLAND B. PIERCE*  
*Bedadiah .. JOHN E. RONBECK*  
*Zebakiah .. HILARY C. SPANIACK*  
*Joshua, High Priest*

REV. CHARLES E. PEDERSON

#### PART TWO

##### Jewish Grand Council Convened at Jerusalem

FOR DELIBERATION — 520 YEARS BEFORE CHRIST

*Companion Conductor .. ARTHUR H. BROOMBERG*  
*Zerrubbabel, Crown Prince of the*  
*House of Judah .... E. WAYNE DONALDSON*

##### Zerrubbabel's Journey to Persian Dominions

##### ENCOUNTER WITH JEWISH GUARDS

*Aholiab, Jewish Guard .. LEO S. HIBBARD*  
*Beraleel, Jewish Guard .. HERBERT F. MCGUIRE*

##### ENCOUNTER AT BRIDGE

*Nebuzaradan, Persian Captain of Guards*  
HOWARD L. MCODRUM

##### PERSIAN GUARDS

*Shem .. FRANK E. BROWN*  
*Ham .. THOMAS S. HODGE*  
*Benjamin .. RALPH U. LIBBY*  
*Asa .. HOWARD M. LINSTED*  
*Jacob .. GORDON P. LUTHER*  
*Hedikiah .. CHARLES J. WILKINS*

#### PART THREE

##### ENTRANCE OF PERSIAN COURT

TIME: SECOND YEAR OF THE REIGN OF DARIUS,  
KING OF PERSIA

*Adoniram, Master of Infantry*  
ARTHUR H. BLOOMBERG, JR.  
*Neamiah, Master of Cavalry*  
ALDEN B. ACKERMAN  
*Esdras, Master of Despatches*  
WILLIAM M. HEILIGMANN, JR.  
*Aninias, Master of Finance .. JOHN B. DEKORTE*

##### PERSIAN COURT COUNCILORS

*Tabeel .. GORDON C. BURK*  
*Midras .. CARLOS H. COTTON*  
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*Achish .. HILARY C. SPANIACK*  
*Pasha, Prince Chancellor .. EDWARD L. KERR*  
*Sheshbazzar, Prince Master of the Palace*  
WILLIAM J. GURNEY  
*Darius, King of Persia .. JAMES S. W. ROGERS*

#### PART FOUR

ZERRUBBABEL BEFORE DARIUS AS CAPTIVE  
AND SLAVE

##### IMMEMORIAL DISCUSSION

##### FOUNDING OF NEW ORDER

##### FOLLOWED BY

THE ORDER OF MALTA (SHORT FORM)

##### UNDER THE DIRECTION OF

Sir Knight John Reid, Captain General



## Synopsis

The rise of the curtain reveals a group of pretty Venetian maidens, all of whom have come with the hope of being selected as the wives of the two unusually popular gondoliers, Marco and Giuseppe. But alas, each of the maidens appears so gay and so fair that the gondoliers are unable to decide which of them to choose. They subsequently blindfold themselves and promise to marry the first maiden they catch. In this fashion, Gianetta and Tessa become the wives of Marcus and Giuseppe, respectively.

When the couples leave the stage, a new party of personages arrive consisting of the Duke and Duchess of Plaza-Toro with Casilda, their daughter, and Luiz, the one attendant who still bears witness to the grandeur that was once theirs. The purpose of this visit is to find the Grand Inquisitor, Don Alhambra. It seems that in her infancy, Casilda had been married to the young Prince of Barataria. As the King had allied himself with the Wesleyan Methodists, the Grand Inquisitor of Spain transported the young Prince to Venice where a similar misfortune could not befall the child. With the King dead, it remains for the Prince to be found and be bethroned together with his rightful Queen, Casilda.

Casilda's happiness, instead of awaiting her, seems to be at an end; for it seems that she and Luiz, who had in the past been ardent lovers, are now to be separated. A spark of hope appears however, when they learn that the gondolier who was in charge of the young Prince had so often been tipsy that he confused the Prince with his own son.

In short, after his death, none knew which was the Prince and which was the son of a lowly gondolier; none but the old nurse of the royal child, Inez, who, co-incidentally enough, is the mother of Luiz. At the opening of Act II, we find Marco and Giuseppe, the gondoliers, in their palace, ruling according to their republican ideas. The Kings, with their wives and servants, ignorant of the actual state of affairs, are dancing the cachucha, when the Grand Inquisitor appears and ends their light-hearted pastime revealing that the true King has already been married. And it now remains for Inez to arrive and make known which is really the King.

The unexpected ending of the opera leaves everyone happy and delighted.



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*Celebrating its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary.*

*presents*

THE BOSTON UNIVERSITY LIGHT OPERA ASSOCIATION

*in*

*Gilbert and Sullivan's Comic Opera*

## "THE GONDOLIERS"

*or*

## "THE KING OF BARATARIA"

*under the direction of EDWARD W. CENTER*

JOHN HANCOCK HALL

BOSTON, MASS.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1952

ORGAN RECITAL 7:30 P.M.

CURTAIN 8:30 P.M.

HARRY E. RODGERS, *At the Organ*

We are honored tonight in having as our Special Guests, many distinguished Fraters, including:—

SIR KNIGHT THOMAS SHERRARD ROY

*Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts*

MOST EMINENT SIR HARRY G. POLLARD

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We are very happy to welcome the Sir Knights, their families and our friends to this, the closing event of our anniversary week, commemorating One Hundred Fifty continuous years of Templary.

WILLIAM M. HEILIGMANN, *Commander*

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

THE DUKE OF PLAZA-TORO ..... Robert E. Moore, CM  
(a Grandee of Spain)

LUIZ (his attendant) ..... Norman Patenaude, CM

DON ALHAMBRA DEL BOLERO ..... James Cressy, CM  
(the Grand Inquisitor)

MARCO PALMIERI	}	VENETIAN GONDOLIERS	}	William T. Burke, GC
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ANNIBALE				Stephen Norris, CM

THE DUCHESS OF PLAZA-TORO .... Charlotte Zimmer Dixon, CM

CASILDA (her daughter) ..... Ann E. Wells, CM

GIANETTA	}	CONTADINE	}	Elsie Kruger Adams, CM
TESSA				June DiTroia, CM
FIAMETTA				Winifred Harris, CM
VITTORIA				Esther Harrington, CM

INEZ (the King's Foster-Mother) ..... Lucia Saylor Hersey, CM

*Chorus of Contadine:* Leigh Baldwin, Joanne Byron, CM; Florence Byron, CM; Peggy Estaver, CLA; Lois Estes, CM; Mary Matas, Grad; Marie Sansone, CM; Betty Scanlon, CM; Nancy Warnock, CLA; Lola Wentzel, CM.

*Chorus of Gondoliers, Men at Arms, Herald, Pages:* H. Richard Berman, CBA; Lewis Crocker, CM; Ernest Eames, CM; George Morris, Grad; John McSherry, Grad; James Smith, Grad; Dean Thackeray, CM.

ACT ONE—THE PIAZZETTA, VENICE

ACT TWO—PAVILION IN THE PALACE OF BARATARIA  
(An interval of three months is supposed to elapse  
between acts one and two)

Date 1750

Dances Arranged and Taught by ..... Helen Stinson Center  
Rehearsal Pianist ..... Dorothy Kimball Schoonmaker

MUSIC FOR THE OPERA BY MEMBERS OF THE  
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## STATED CONCLAVE

### OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1952 — 2:45 P. M.**  
 To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

## THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening — balloting see insert

FOR THE ORDERS  
 SARKIS M. ZARTARIAN, 66 Richfield Road, Arlington — Lawyer  
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## SEILER DINNER 6:30 P. M.

Members \$1.75. Guests \$2.50. Please help your officers by returning dinner card (enclosed) promptly, but not later than Monday, April 14, 1952.

## ENTERTAINMENT

By Order of

Attest:

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## INSPECTION REHEARSALS FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS

Monday, April 14, 1952 — Monday, May 12, 1952

Monday, May 19, 1952.

Buffet Supper at Masonic Temple at 5:45 P. M.

## 150th ANNIVERSARY LONG TO BE REMEMBERED

With over 1,000 at the devotional services on Sunday, March 9, 1952, at New Old South Church, Gothic Hall filled to capacity on Wednesday, March 12, 1952, with distinguished guests, candidates and Sir Knights to witness the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in full form, and 500 at our Anniversary Dinner joined by 500 more on Friday, March 14, 1952, who enjoyed the Gilbert & Sullivan operetta, "The Gondoliers," in the Dorothy Quincy suite, John Hancock Hall, Boston Commandery went over the top in celebrating its 150th Anniversary.

## IN APPRECIATION

My sincere thanks to the committee, officers and Sir Knights who so generously gave their time and energy to the success of this notable year.

## SPLendor OF THE ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF THE RED CROSS

The cast in its colorful costumes is to be congratulated on the impression it made on over 100 candidates. Pictures were taken and can be obtained from our warder.

## COMING EVENTS

Sunday, April 13, 1952

Twenty-second annual Knights Templar Easter sunrise service in Arlington National Cemetery in Virginia, opposite the District of Columbia.

Sunday, April 20, 1952

Second Annual Communion Breakfast. Church services. PARADE and breakfast in Mechanics Building. Aleppo Band.

Sunday, May 25, 1952

Mammoth outdoor Knights Templar service by Olivet Commandery No. 36 in Lynn.

Sunday, May 11, 1952

Pilgrimage to Providence to join with St. John's Commandery, No. 1, in celebrating their 150th Anniversary. Sunday, May 11, 1952, BIG PARADE of all Commanderies with their colors. **TELEVISED.**

Wednesday, May 21, 1952

## ANNUAL INSPECTION.

Your attendance counts. Be sure to reserve this date. We want *you* present.

Wednesday, June 11, 1952

## TEMPLAR NIGHT AT THE "POPS."

## 50 CANDIDATES STILL NEEDED

To fill the quota of 150 your Commander promised for our 150th Anniversary. There are 50 medals left for sponsors. **GET YOURS.**

Medals for sponsors and those candidates who have *not* received them will be ready for distribution at our next meeting. **WEAR YOUR MEDAL.**

Special Congratulations to Our Honorary Member  
**REV. SIR THOMAS SHERRARD ROY, D.D.**

Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts  
 who was unanimously elected to honorary membership in Boston Commandery  
 at our meeting on Wednesday, March 12, 1952.



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# Knights Templars

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ANNUAL INSPECTION WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1952



# OFFICIAL INSPECTION, WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1952

## BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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### STATED CONCLAVE

OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1952 — 4:30 P.M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting following petitions

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SIR KNIGHT ARTHUR S. FUDGE, JR., 5 Blake St., Cambridge — Lumber Dealer

Change in By-Laws submitted by Em. Sir Frank E. Ells.

Inasmuch as the month of June, when we generally hold our Election of Officers, in conformity with our By-Laws, is generally an unusually busy month, particularly the past several years when we have had a deluge of candidates, and inasmuch as the indications are that this condition will prevail in future years, I propose that ARTICLE 2 SECTION 2 of the By-Laws of Boston Commandery No. 2 K.T. be amended to provide for the Election and Installation to be held in the month of September instead of the month of June.

#### WORK

### The Order of the Temple

SEILER DINNER 6:00 P.M.

NO CHARGE TO MEMBERS — Guests \$1.75

Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed)  
by Monday, May 19, 1952

Important — Return Your Card — No Card — No Dinner

#### ANNUAL INSPECTION

OFFICIAL COUNT — 8:00 P.M. — BE PRESENT

By Order of

Attest:

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DRESS REHEARSALS FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS  
MONDAY, MAY 19, 1952

Dinner at Masonic Temple at 5:45 P.M.

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## ANNUAL INSPECTION

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1952

BY

EMINENT SIR MORTIMER W. SCHROEDER, Grand Senior Warden

ASSISTED BY

EMINENT SIR CHARLES W. GURDY, Deputy Grand Warden

#### PROGRAM

- 5:00 P.M. FULL FORM OPENING  
First Section — Order of the Temple  
6:00 P.M. SEILER BUFFET DINNER — *No Charge to Members*  
7:45 P.M. RECEPTION OF GRAND OFFICERS  
8:00 P.M. OFFICIAL COUNT — Your presence is needed  
8:15 P.M. INSPECTION AND REVIEW  
Second Section — Order of the Temple  
9:00 P.M. REMARKS BY DIVISION COMMANDER

Sir Knights: We are marked on our attendance. Because of our increased membership we must turn out in larger numbers. A large turnout will aid your Officers in obtaining a High Mark, for our 150th Anniversary Inspection. Come and enjoy the dinner with your Fraters. Stay through the work if possible, but plan to be present for the official Count at 8:00 P.M. This is one night when your attendance helps the Commandery. "FORWARD KNIGHTS OF BOSTON."

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We are in sight of our goal of 150 Candidates, to commemorate our 150 years of Templary. A total of 106 new petitions have been received in 8 months to date. Only 44 more are needed. Bring your petition to our next meeting. **BE A MEDAL OF HONOR MEMBER AND WEAR YOUR ANNIVERSARY MEDAL.**

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and any other candidates for the Orders, who are entitled and present to receive the degrees at this meeting.

### ANNUAL SEILER LOBSTER DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$1.75, Guests \$2.75. Please help your officers by returning dinner card (enclosed) promptly, but not later than Monday, June 16, 1952.

### ENTERTAINMENT

By Order of

Attest:

HAROLD A. BUDREAU  
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 Boston, June 10, 1952, A.D. 833

### REHEARSAL FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS

MONDAY, JUNE 16, 1952

Dinner at Masonic Temple at 5:45 P.M.

## ST. JOHN'S DAY CHURCH SERVICE

Sunday, June 22, 1952 — 11:00 A.M.

Boston Commandery has been invited to act as escort to Winthrop Lodge A.F.&A.M., at their annual St. John's Day Church Service, to be held at the First Church of Winthrop, Methodist, 215 Winthrop Street, at Metcalf Square, Winthrop, Mass., Sunday, June 22, 1952, at 11:00 A.M. Sir Knights will meet at the Masonic Temple, 196 Winthrop Street, Winthrop at 10:30 A.M. Full Templar Uniform with gauntlets. It is suggested that Sir Knights arrange to take their uniform and regalia home after our meeting on Wednesday, June 18, 1952, and be prepared to go direct to Winthrop. Any Sir Knight who will require transportation, please communicate with our Captain General, Sir Knight John Reid, or any of our line officers.

### CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE TOWN OF WINTHROP SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 1952

Fifty years after the institution of Boston Commandery, the Town of Winthrop was duly incorporated. Boston Commandery has been invited to act as Official Escort to the Winthrop Blue Lodge, and march in the Centennial Parade. The Shrine Band and Patrol, lead by Aleppo Temple's famous "Mounties", and Aleppo Temple's "Chanters", will also participate. Our own Sir Knight, Frank Hathfield is the General Chairman of the Centennial Committee. RESERVE THE DATE SIR KNIGHTS. FURTHER PARTICULARS LATER.

OUR Grateful thanks to Eminent Sir J. Leroy Jones, and the Officers and Sir Knights of Hugh de Payens Commandery #20, of Melrose, Mass., for their splendid exemplification of the Orders of Red Cross and Malta, on 30 candidates of Boston Commandery, at their meeting on Monday, June 9, 1952. We appreciate the cooperation and knightly courtesy of our fraters from Melrose in helping us to complete our busy schedule before the summer vacation.

In accordance with our usual custom, meetings of Boston Commandery for July and August will be suspended. Your Officers take this opportunity to wish you a pleasant summer, and ask that during these two months you report all cases of sickness and distress to your Commander. The September Conclave will be for the Nomination, Election and Installation of the New Officers. LET US ALL BE PRESENT.

## IT HAS BEEN A WONDERFUL YEAR

Dear Fraters:

The celebration of our 150th Anniversary, and the exemplification of our work at Inspection, when we received the highest mark attainable — TEN MINUS — for our achievement, is all very gratifying, and I am deeply grateful to the Officers, Guards and Sir Knights, who by their presence helped us retain this high standard of excellence.

As this notice goes to press, we have received 123 new petitions for the Orders in Boston Commandery. This is in addition to re-instatements, affiliations and consolidation.

We feel that this is a splendid record and while we know that it has been a strenuous year for all of us, we assure you that your efforts have been a wonderful inspiration to your Guards, to your Officers, and to your Commander.

The remarks by our Inspecting Officer, Em. Sir Mortimer W. Schroeder, and our Grand Commander Rt. Em. Sir Charles F. Fairbanks, 2nd; who was present with a complete Grand Commandery Staff, were very touching to your Commander, who finds it impossible, for reasons of health, to give more than one year, to the arduous duties of this office.

Boston Commandery is fortunate in having a fine line of officers ready to carry on the work for 1953, with new ideas and renewed vim and vigor.

Your continued support will be necessary. Thanks again for everything.

"BILL"



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E. Sir Alfred Colcord Blake 1947-49  
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## BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1952 — 5:00 P. M.

To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

### THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

will be transacted immediately after opening—balloting following petitions

#### FOR THE ORDERS

\*CARL J. OLSON, 45 Cottage St., Natick, Demonstrator

Recommended by S.K. Gustave Kluwer and S.K. Elmer M. Stearns

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#### REPORT OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE

#### AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

6:30 P.M.

#### SEILER DINNER WITH OUR LADIES

Member and Lady \$3.00 — Member only \$2.00 — *all other Guests* \$3.00. Provision will be made *only* for those who reply (Special card enclosed) by Monday, September 15, 1952.

8:00 P.M.

#### RECEPTION OF INSTALLING OFFICER

#### INSPECTION AND REVIEW

#### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

BY

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## PUBLIC INSTALLATION AND LADIES NIGHT

As announced at our June meeting, and by popular request, we have decided to invite the Ladies to our Annual Installation of Officers. Right Eminent Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., our own Past Grand Commander, and now relieved of his arduous duties as Imperial Potentate of the Shrine of North America, has consented to officiate at our Installation Ceremonies. This in itself is a treat, as Right Eminent Sir Wilson is unsurpassed in this field. Assisting Right Eminent Sir Wilson will be Eminent Sir Frank Brown Ells, Past Grand Warder, and also a distinguished frater of Boston Commandery.

Due to the capacity of our banquet hall, we ask that you limit yourself to one guest, and make reservation promptly on the self addressed card that is enclosed for your convenience. The charge for this Special Seiler Roast Tenderloin of Beef Dinner with Clam Chowder and all the Fixins will be:

FOR SIR KNIGHT AND LADY \$3.00

FOR SIR KNIGHT ONLY 2.00

\*FOR ALL OTHER GUESTS 3.00

\*this covers only the actual cost

DRESS OPTIONAL, BUT THOSE HAVING UNIFORM ARE REQUESTED

TO WEAR COAT AND BELT.

Please note that it will cost a Sir Knight only *one dollar* extra to bring his Lady to this outstanding social event. This is the first Public Installation and Ladies Night in Boston Commandery in many years, and our members are offered this special opportunity, of giving their Ladies a night out with a chance to inspect the beautiful and newly decorated apartments where their men spend the third Wednesday of each month; and, at a very nominal price.

We hope that the attendance of the Ladies at our first meeting will inspire our Sir Knights to renewed efforts towards another banner year in Boston Commandery.

**LET US MAKE OUR SLOGAN "103 FOR '53"**

### In Memoriam

CHESTER A. BAKER	CHRISTIAN F. KOOP
Knighted April 22, 1922 — Died March 4, 1952	Knighted June 19, 1895 — Died July 30, 1952
GEORGE N. BAKER	JOSEPH W. LORD
Knighted Nov. 19, 1919 — Died May 19, 1952	Knighted Jan. 19, 1927 — Died July 6, 1952
WILLIAM E. BARTA	HORACE W. LYONS
Knighted March 15, 1920 — Died Sept. 12, 1951	Knighted March 15, 1939 — Died Oct. 30, 1949
CHRISTIAN JOHN BERGLUND	WILLIAM MACKIE
Knighted Jan. 16, 1946 — Died Aug. 9, 1951	Knighted May 21, 1930 — Died June 12, 1952
CLIFFORD A. BUTTERFIELD	JAMES McCRONE
Knighted May 18, 1949 — Died Nov. 8, 1951	Knighted Nov. 17, 1948 — Died July 27, 1951
WILLIAM F. CLAPP	JOHN K. S. MILLS
Knighted Nov. 20, 1918 — Died Dec. 28, 1951	Knighted March 18, 1925 — Died Feb. 23, 1952
DANIEL L. CRANEY	WILFRED A. OUMET
Knighted Oct. 11, 1897 — Died Nov. 20, 1951	Knighted June 16, 1926 — Died May 10, 1952
FREDERICK H. CROWLEY	RUSSELL S. REED
Knighted May 16, 1923 — Died May 1, 1952	Knighted April 21, 1948 — Died July 24, 1952
HENRY A. DICKERMAN, JR.	EUGENE A. RICHARDSON
Knighted Sept. 21, 1898 — Died July 12, 1951	Knighted Nov. 17, 1920 — Died April 16, 1950
RICHARD ENGSTROM	RICHARD R. ROUSAY
Knighted Nov. 15, 1916 — Died Dec. 13, 1951	Knighted June 17, 1946 — Died April 23, 1952
JOHN M. GLEASON	HENRY E. SEAVEY
Knighted April 20, 1910 — Died May 15, 1952	Knighted May 19, 1920 — Died Jan. 13, 1952
FRED A. GLIDDEN	RALPH C. SHOREY
Knighted Feb. 20, 1907 — Died Aug. 2, 1951	Knighted May 15, 1946 — Died May 25, 1952
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Knighted June 19, 1912 — Died Oct. 5, 1951	Knighted Nov. 19, 1924 — Died Sept. 6, 1951
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Knighted March 7, 1927 — Died Oct. 30, 1951	Knighted Dec. 19, 1906 — Died Oct. 10, 1951
DEANE N. HARDING	EDWIN I. WOODMAN
Knighted May 16, 1945 — Died Aug. 14, 1952	Knighted June 16, 1948 — Died Oct. 23, 1951
RICHARD C. KEEN	ALFRED W. YALE
Knighted Nov. 17, 1948 — Died Nov. 12, 1951	Knighted March 21, 1923 — Died June 26, 1952
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Knighted Jan. 14, 1915 — Died Aug. 3, 1952	



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# BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

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## STATED CONCLAVE

OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1952 — 6:00 P. M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

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and those candidates present and entitled to receive the degrees at this meeting.

### RED CROSS TEAM

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross with dramatic effects and in full costume will be conferred at this conclave, under the direction of our Generalissimo, Sir Knight John Reid. Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers will act as Sovereign Master and Rev. Sir Knight Charles E. Pedersen as Excellent High Priest. The Character of Zerubbabel will be portrayed by Sir Knight E. Wayne Donaldson.

### SEILER DINNER 6:30 P. M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$2.75. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, October 13, 1952.

### ENTERTAINMENT

By Order of

Attest:

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### REHEARSAL FOR RED CROSS DEGREE TEAM

Monday, October 13, 1952 — Dinner, Masonic Temple at 5:45 P. M.

## THANK YOU

SIR KNIGHTS;

for electing me your Commander. I am deeply grateful of the honor bestowed upon me and keenly aware of the responsibility and leadership required to guide an organization of Christian Knighthood that has successfully withstood 151 years of continuous existence in a constantly changing world. The aims and aspirations of our Ancient Institution may well be the answer to the unsettled chaotic world of today. Boston Commandery has grown to a membership of 1162, and I pledge to you my best efforts towards steadily increasing our Order of Christian Knighthood. Our experience of the past several years, clearly indicates there are hundreds of well qualified and worthy members of the Masonic Fraternity ready and waiting to be invited to enlist under our banner. I ask your support in this noble and glorious work, and look forward with great anticipation to the pleasure of working with you for another banner year in Boston Commandery.

## CANDIDATES

Our slogan for this year is "103 for '53". We need your help to achieve this goal. Speak to your Chapter companion, and tell him about our

## THOMAS SHERRARD ROY CLASS

in January, named in honor of our only Honorary Member and Sir Knight, MOST WORSHIPFUL THOMAS SHERRARD ROY, GRAND MASTER OF MASONS IN MASSACHUSETTS, who has promised to be present and personally welcome the members of this class. We want at least fifty (50) candidates in his honor for this occasion which promises to be the outstanding event of the Templar year.

## LADIES' NIGHT GREAT SUCCESS

I am certain that all of the Sir Knights and their Ladies, who attended our Public Installation and Ladies' Night on September 17th, were more than satisfied with the evening. After an excellent Seiler dinner, the Officers and Guards put on a fine Inspection and Review, and then our own Past Grand Commander, Right Eminent Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., assisted by Eminent Sir Frank Brown Ells, Past Grand Warder, installed the newly elected and appointed officers, in their usual inimitable manner. Salvi Cavicchio concluded the festivities with varied selections on the xylophone, which were enjoyed by the capacity audience of over 450. It was an evening long to be remembered.

## THEATRE PARTY

Those who attended our Theatre Party last year when the Boston University Light Opera Association performed Gilbert and Sullivan's "THE GONDOLIERS", will be glad to learn that we will have the same fine group with us again on Friday, December 5, 1952, at John Hancock Hall when they will present Gilbert and Sullivan's famous light opera the "MIKADO". Set that evening aside. Applications and further details will be sent to you with notice of our November Conclave.

## 200th ANNIVERSARY OF GEORGE WASHINGTON THE MASON

Boston Commandery has been invited to participate in this Historic Event, which will be held on Sunday, November 9, 1952. Sir Knights in uniform will form at the corner of Commonwealth Ave., and Gloucester Street, Boston at 2:00 P.M. The Commanderies of Greater Boston, led by the Shrine Band, and our Right Eminent Grand Commander, will act as Official Escort to the Masonic Lodges, in a parade to Mechanics Building for the Ceremony at 3:00 P.M. Tickets for Sir Knights in uniform will be furnished free. The Armory will be open at 1:00 P.M., and bus transportation will be provided at 1:30 P.M. Please notify our Captain General, Sir Knight Charles D. Harrington, if you will parade so that ample bus transportation can be arranged.



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**BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLARS**  
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**STATED CONCLAVE**  
OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR  
will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple  
**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1952 — 4:30 P.M.**  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
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**FOR REINSTATEMENT**

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**WORK**

**The Order of the Temple**

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**SPECIAL NOTICE:** We are anxious to get the names and addresses of all Sir Knights of Boston Commandery, who are in Active Service with the Armed Forces. Please use the enclosed dinner card to notify the Recorder.

**SEILER DINNER 6:30 P. M.**

Members \$2.00. Guests \$2.75. Provision will be made only for those who reply (postcard enclosed) by Monday, November 17, 1952.

**ENTERTAINMENT**

By Order of

Attest:

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**REHEARSAL FOR OFFICERS AND GUARDS**

Monday, November 17, 1952 — Order of the Temple  
Buffet Dinner, Masonic Temple at 5:45 P. M.

**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS OFFERING AND GOOD CHEER**

Our Christmas offering is for the needy and deserving Sir Knights of Boston Commandery, their widows and orphans. Let each of us contribute as generously as possible in order that some measure of good will and cheer may be given to those in less fortunate circumstances than ourselves. Such is the real Christmas spirit. "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven." Two envelopes are enclosed. Please place your contribution in the small envelope, mark plainly with your name, and mail as soon as possible in the large envelope.

**PETITIONS**

for our January class in honor of our only Honorary Member and Sir Knight, Most Worshipful Thomas Sherrard Roy, Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts, should be presented at our conclaves in November, December and January. The closing date will be January 10, 1953. Get your Royal Arch friend ready for this memorable event. Remember our slogan, Sir Knights, "103 for '53".

**OUR NINTH ANNUAL THEATRE PARTY**

We are happy to announce that we will present the BOSTON UNIVERSITY LIGHT OPERA ASSOCIATION, accompanied by the BOSTON UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA, in Gilbert and Sullivan's most popular Light Opera,

**"THE MIKADO"**

Directed by Edward W. Center

DATE — Friday Evening, December 5, 1952.

PLACE — New John Hancock Hall.

TIME — 7:30 P. M., Organ Recital by Harry E. Rogers.  
8:15 P. M., "The Mikado".

DRESS — Informal, but we would like as many Sir Knights as possible in Templar uniform.

TICKETS — Free to every member of Boston Commandery and his family. We also urge you to bring your Blue Lodge and Chapter friends as your guests.

**ALL SEATS ARE RESERVED**

The perforated form at the bottom of this page is your application for tickets.

Please do not order more tickets than you can actually use.

Requests for tickets will be filled in *order of receipt*, and to *capacity* of the hall.

**To insure receiving your tickets please do not fail to enclose a self addressed stamped envelope.**

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Please send me ..... reserved seat tickets for the Boston Commandery presentation, "The Mikado", on December 5, 1952.

I (have not) (have) invited a Chapter Mason to be my guest.

Signed.....

Address.....

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THE BOSTON UNIVERSITY  
LIGHT OPERA ASSOC.



*Twenty-fifth  
Anniversary  
Production*

# “THE MIKADO”



## History of Boston University Light Opera Association

The Light Opera Association of Boston University (formally the Gilbert and Sullivan Association) is the successor of The Masque, an all University organization which presented original musical shows from 1922-1925. The financial failure of their last production resulted in the decess of the Masque, and no show was presented in 1926. A committee organized in 1927 learned that Professor Harry B. Center, Director of the Department of Journalism, was experienced in the production of light opera by amateurs. They went to him for advice, and he volunteered to direct a production if a standard light opera, preferably by Gilbert and Sullivan, were chosen rather than a "home-written" musical comedy.

Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado" was the choice, and the production was most brilliantly brought to the stage of the new Statler Ballroom — the first stage entertainment to be presented there — during Junior Week of 1927. It was a milestone in Boston University dramatic and musical achievement.

In 1930 the Light Opera Association was accepted by University officials as an all-University musical organization, and has presented a production annually since that time. The only exceptions were the war years 1942-1946 when activity was curtailed. The 1930 production made a distinct contribution to the musical history of Boston. For the first time in forty years Gilbert and Sullivan lovers in the Hub were privileged to hear the opera which both poet and composer considered their masterpiece — "The Yeomen of the Guard."

Two departures from the Gilbert and Sullivan series of operas occurred in 1931 when the Association made its first venture into the field of original operetta, with a curtain raiser entitled "The Big Big D" or "Not What You Expected," a college whimsy, libretto by John Rohrbough of C.L.A., and music by Margaret Starr McLain, of the faculty of the College of Music. In 1939 the group presented Sigmund Romberg's "The Student Prince," a modern light opera masterpiece.

Throughout the years the Light Opera Association has worked very closely with the College of Music and its founder Dean John Patten Marshall. It is interesting to note that Professor Center and Dean Marshall were boyhood friends. They attended Rockport Grade Schools together, they attended Gloucester High School together. Both went on to the faculty of Boston University where they taught together and both men passed away within a few days of each other in 1941. The College of Music, founded by Dean Marshall, also celebrates its 25th Anniversary this year, and has grown from a Department of Music into a full degree-granting College with basic courses in applied music, theory, public school music, church music, and operatic departments.

The current director, Mr. Edward Center, son of the group's founder, worked with his father on the original "Mikado" in 1927, and became director in 1938, when his father retired. For the Centers the annual productions have become a family proposition. Assisting the current director is his wife, the former Helen Stinson, a graduate of the University's college of music, and a member of the first "Mikado" cast. Their daughter, Stella, now a freshman at the school of nursing, is a member of the 1952 "Mikado" chorus, continuing the Center-Boston University tradition.

Tonight's performance marks the third time the Light Opera Association has presented "The Mikado," as in addition to the original 1927 performance it was revived in 1933. Tonight's performance also marks the first time that the organization has undertaken a tour, with eight performances scheduled in six days. Represented in tonight's cast chorus and orchestra are over 60 students representing some seven departments of Boston University. The Light Opera Association is most grateful to its many friends within and without the University, whose continued support has made possible this quarter century of continuous production.

### BOSTON UNIVERSITY LIGHT OPERA ASSOCIATION OFFICERS 1952-1953 SEASON

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## Boston Commandry No. 2 — Knights Templars

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### THE BOSTON UNIVERSITY LIGHT OPERA ASSOC.

under the direction of EDWARD W. CENTER in its

## Twenty-fifth Anniversary Production

Gilbert and Sullivan's Immortal Comic Opera

# "THE MIKADO"

or

# "The Town of Titipu"

(First produced at the Savoy Theatre, London, March 4th, 1885)

Libretto by

SIR WILLIAM S. GILBERT

Music by

SIR ARTHUR SULLIVAN

Scenery Designed by FRANK DRISCOLL (SPRC-B.U. Drama Club)

Dances Arranged and Taught by HELEN STINSON CENTER (CM Grad)

Rehearsal Accompanist, DOROTHY KIMBALL SCHOONMAKER (CM Grad)

Legend Denoting Departments of Boston University: CM-College of Music, CGE-College of General Education, CBA-College of Business Administration, CLA-College of Liberal Arts, SN-School of Nursing, PAL-College of Practical Arts and Letters, SPRC-School of Public Relations and Communications, GRAD-Graduate School, ED-School of Education.

## JOHN HANCOCK HALL — BOSTON

Friday Evening, December 5, 1952 at 8:20 p.m.



## ... The Cast of Characters ...

THE MIKADO OF JAPAN ..... PETER INGERSOLL, CM  
 NANKI-POO (his son, in love with Yum-Yum) ..... WILLIAM BURKE, CGE  
 KO-KO (Lord High Executioner of Titipu) ..... DEAN THACKWRAY, CM  
 POOH-BAH (Lord High Everything Else) ..... JAMES CRESSEY, CM  
 PISH-TUSH (A Noble Lord) ..... RICHARD PARRINELLO, CM  
 YUM-YUM }  
 PITTI-SING } (three sisters, wards of Ko-Ko) { RUTH ANN TOBIN, CM  
 PEEP-BO } { ELIZABETH MCCARTHY, CM  
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 KATISHA (an elderly lady, in love with Nanki-Poo) ..... CHARLOTTE ZIMMER DIXON, CM  
 KNEE-BAN (Umbrella Bearer to The Mikado) ..... RONALD GERBRANDS CM

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## WATCH FOR THESE COMING BOSTON UNIVERSITY ATTRACTIONS

BOSTON UNIVERSITY CHORUS — "THE MESSIAH" — Dr. James R. Houghton, director, Symphony Hall, Boston. Tuesday evening, December 9.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY GEORGE GERSHWIN WORKSHOP — "FAMILY PORTRAIT" — Monday through Thursday, December 15-18.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY BAND — Robert M. Cook, director. Concert — Hayden Auditorium, Wednesday evening, December 17.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY DRAMA CLUB — February, 1953, "SUMMER AND SMOKE" or "THE HAPPY TIME" — April, 1953 "KISS ME KATE"

## THE MIKADO

Book by  
 SIR W. S. GILBERT

Music by  
 SIR ARTHUR SULLIVAN

## STORY OF THE OPERA

Before the action of the opera begins Nanki-Poo has fled from the court of his father, the Mikado of Japan, to escape marriage with an elderly lady, named Katisha. Assuming the disguise of a musician, he has then fallen in love with a fair maiden, Yum-Yum; but he has been prevented from marrying her by her guardian, Ko-Ko, who wishes to marry her himself. Ko-Ko, however, has been condemned to death for flirting; and, when Act I opens, Nanki-Poo is hastening to the court of Ko-Ko in Titipu to find out whether Yum-Yum is now free to marry him.

From Pooh-Bah (a corrupt and proud public official) and Pish-Tush (a nobleman), Nanki-Poo learns that Ko-Ko has, instead, become Lord High Executioner, thus preventing the sentence of decapitation from being carried out. Ko-Ko is, in fact, going to marry Yum-Yum that very afternoon.

Everything seems to be going well for Ko-Ko, but suddenly a letter comes from the Mikado ordering him to execute somebody or else lose his position of Lord High Executioner. He is in a quandary to find someone to execute, when Nanki-Poo appears, bent upon suicide because he cannot marry Yum-Yum. By conceding to him the right to marry Yum-Yum for a month, Ko-Ko persuades Nanki-Poo to be the subject for the public execution when that month is up. There is general rejoicing in this apparent solution to the problem, marred only by the unexpected appearance of Katisha, in quest of the vanished object of her affections, Nanki-Poo. She is driven away, but threatens to go to the Mikado about the matter.

Act II opens with Yum-Yum preparing for her marriage with Nanki-Poo. As all are singing a "Merry madrigal," Ko-Ko comes in with the news that he has just discovered a law stating that when a married man is executed his wife must be buried alive. To save Yum-Yum from that fate, Nanki-Poo decides to kill himself at once. But this again throws Ko-Ko into a quandary to find someone to execute (especially as he has heard that the Mikado is at that moment on his way to Titipu). Nanki-Poo magnanimously offers himself for immediate decapitation, but Ko-Ko is unable to perform the act without some practice.

Another way out of the difficulty presents itself: Ko-Ko has Pooh-Bah make a false affidavit that Nanki-Poo has been executed, and bids Nanki-Poo and Yum-Yum leave the country.

The Mikado soon appears. Ko-Ko thinks that the object of this visit is to see whether the execution has taken place. He accordingly produces the affidavit and describes with gusto the execution. But the Mikado has actually come at the prompting of Katisha in search of his lost son. When the fact transpires that the person whom Ko-Ko has supposedly executed is really the Mikado's son, Ko-Ko and his accomplices are declared guilty of "compassing the death of the Heir Apparent." The only hope for them is to admit the falsehood of the affidavit and produce Nanki-Poo alive. But, as Nanki-Poo has already married Yum-Yum and so cannot marry Katisha, Katisha will surely insist on the execution of Nanki-Poo and Yum-Yum. Ko-Ko solves the problem by offering his hand to Katisha; and, after he sings her the touching ballad of "Willow, tit-willow," she accepts him. The end of the opera comes with Nanki-Poo's presenting himself as the son of the Mikado.



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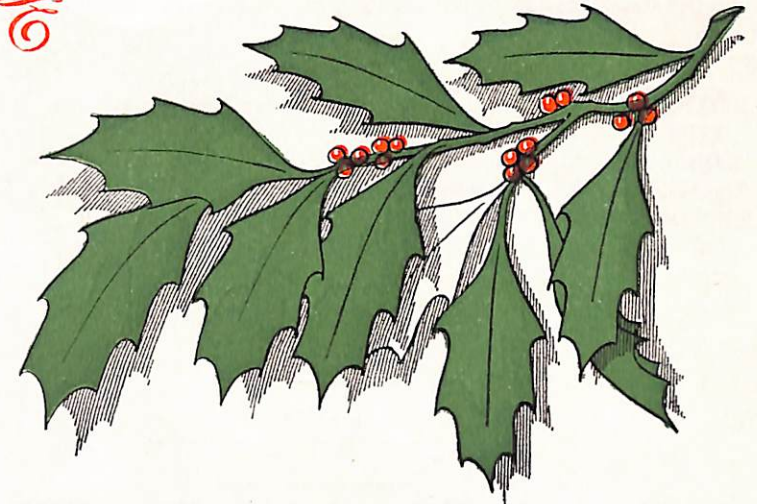
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1952—6:00 P.M.  
To open a Commandery of Knights Templars for the dispatch of business

**THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE**  
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SIR KNIGHT ARTHUR CHARLES TOTMAN.

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### SEILER'S ROAST TENDERLOIN OF BEEF DINNER 6:30 P.M.

Members \$2.00. Guests \$3.00. Provision will be made only for those who reply (post card enclosed) by Monday, December 15, 1952.

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## ANNUAL THEATRE PARTY

Our Ninth Annual Theatre Party in John Hancock Hall on Friday, December 5th, was an overwhelming success. Over 1,100 Sir Knights, their families and guests enjoyed the fine performance of "The Mikado" by the Boston University Light Opera Association.

Our Eminent Commander and Rt. Em. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr. presented our Past Commanders, Officers, Guards, and the Grand Commandery Line Officers, headed by Rt. Em. Sir Frederic Kennedy, Grand Commander, who made a few outstanding remarks. Em. Sir Herman C. McStay did his usual fine job as Chairman.

## CHRISTMAS GOOD CHEER OFFERING

We are grateful to the Sir Knights who have already contributed to our Christmas Cheer Fund. There is still time for those of you who have not as yet sent in your donations to the Commander, to do so, and thus make Christmas brighter for others.

If you know of any Sir Knight of Boston Commandery who is sick or in need of Christmas cheer, kindly let your Commander know.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

We will gather next Wednesday, December 17th, in our Banquet Hall for our annual Christmas Party—and a lot of good fun and fellowship.

Bring along a gift of some sort, worth not over fifty cents, which will be drawn and presented to another Sir Knight by our own Santa Claus (?). After a Seiler roast tenderloin of beef dinner along with Em. Sir Clyde L. Carter's famed "buttermilk", we will have entertainment, featuring Past Commander Hans Kleemann.

Some lucky Sir Knight who has returned his dinner card will receive a Christmas turkey.

## THOMAS SHERRARD ROY CLASS

Our January meeting, named in Honor of our only Honorary Member and Sir Knight, Most Worshipful Thomas Sherrard Roy, Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts, should be an outstanding event of the Templar year. Invite your Chapter friends to join Boston Commandery and share the good times and fellowship of the oldest and most active Knights Templar organization in America. We want a large class for this special meeting. Get your petition in our Recorder's hands as soon as possible, so that your name can be listed on our honor roll.

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